What with Christmasing and the aftermath, seven more days of the winter have passed in considerable gaiety. Galety for this season, that is. By comparison we are just about one-third as gay as last year, and as for the year 1828—we would best not mention any of our festive doings in conjunction with those of that eventful season which will go down in history as one of the most brilliant St. Louis has ever

Still, despite the fact that there is a lamentable pancity of big affairs one after another, night after night, as in days of yore, everybody appears to be having a tolerably fair and passably lively time. Small and, if the participants are to be be-lieved, very joily dinners have had the lead among congental little groups of friends who know each other well and enjoy each other much. Perhaesters come other much. Princeton came and went, after a successful concert. Mrs. John David Davis's matinee dance was charming, so they tell me, and not a bit stiff and formal, as Country Club functions some-

Then we had the Overall ball, which was rather large-175 guests-on Friday, in town, and the Kirkwood costume ball in the suburbs, also on Friday. This last was the

very young set.

Miss Edna Friedman, the only bud of the week, came out in due and proper fashion at a ball on Thursday night; the Mary girls were happy with a long, long list of afternoon teas, and there were a few scattering functions of various sorts. Not so bad, on the whole, was it?

This week we shall do even better. The subscription dance on the last night of the century will start the ball rolling. What with Sophie Daughadays's wedding, two debutante receptions, that of Francine Lacas and Katherine Jones; Dalsy Aull's morning function from 10 to 12; tens by Mrs. John Green, Mary Euston and Jessie Leonori, and the golden wedding reception

The postponed Assembly ball is announced for Wednesday night, but unless there is a marked disposition on the part of the men invited to hasten their subscriptions secretaryward, the ball will have to be reckened among the things that fall through for want of funds. I em told that the lines have been supported by the girls have been supported by the girls have been supported by the support of Captain and Mrs. Irons of Bartiner particles.

New Year's Day will be a full one.

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Miss Katherine Jones, who is to make her first bow to the gay, world on Tuesday evening, is a delayed debutante, as it were. Preparations for her initial appearance were all in readiness last winter; but, by reason of continued illness in the family of Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Jones, the daughter was obliged to forego all social pleasures for many months. Her debut this pleasures for many months, and managing nor week will be none the less momentum nor week will be none the less momentous nor

diss Jones, who is first a Hosmer Hall girl and then a Wellesley graduate, class of 36, is graceful, vivacious, entertaining, and not oppressively collegiate. A typical this is almost the last chance one has to use that somewhat overworked, but rather picturesque phrase. She has not long since returned from a month's visit in Denver. where a perfect avalanche of entertain-ments were showered on her by college friends and the Colorado city's smart set.

duced by her mother, Mrs. J. B. C. Lucas, at a reception on New Year's Day, was one of the Velled Prophet's maids of honor this year, and has gone out to a mild degree ever since the beginning of the season. She is a brunette and pretty, with

Not a word has been whispered regarding the date when David R. Francis, Jr., is to marry his Massachusetts finncee, Miss Colthurst. Indeed, I doubt if the wedding takes place before another year, as the young women is a debutante this season, and extremely youthful, while "Dave" himself is not exactly what one would term "old." They can quite afford to wait. Miss Colthurst has not yet visited St. Louis. hurst has not yet visited St. Louis.

I craned my neck the other night at the

Tale concert, spying a very attractive-looking stranger in the Francis box, and immediately making up my mind that it must be the flancee. Then I took another look, and lo, it was only little Julia Knapp.

Mr. and Mrs. "Eddle" Gould have ba-taken themselves to Oconomowoc to spend a fortnight at the palatial mansion of Mr. Gould, the only daughter of the house-hold, is a stunning young woman, with lots of style and savoir faire that is destined T. Lee Mills,
Stanley Quisenberry,
A. C. Reichardt,
J. E. Allen,
F. W. Schulenberg,
H. M. Zimmerman,
C. Meinhard,
B. M. Daniels,
Doctor H. S. Kimbrough,
L. L. Berry,
H. P. Fairback, Jr.,
G. R. Smith,
Bert Rall,
C. E. Williams,
J. C. Miller, Jr.,
Frank Meyer,
Jess Wilkinsen,
F. Norton,
M. C. Moffitt, se in St. Louis and entertain largely. house in St. Louis and entertain largely. Miss Gould is almost unknown here. She came down to be a bridesmaid at her brother's wedding, but aside from the people whom she met that night has few acquaintances in town. She is quite a young girl-still in her teens—and last summer was immensely popular with the Oconomowoc set, which is largely made up of Chicago and Northern Illinois people.

Mr. David Gould's health has been uncertain for many months and the family is

certain for many months and the family is just on the point of going abroad, taking the Mediterranean trip through Southern waters, with a long stay at Algiers in prospect. It is hoped by Mr. Gould's physicians that this will be of great benefit to him. They are to sail on the 17th, so this visit of the "Eddie" Goulds is in the nature of a farewell.

Charming, indeed, are the newest pictures of Miss Carrie Cook, taken in Japanese.

Miss Carrie Cook, taken in Japanese.

The H. S. Club entertained its friends Thursley evening at the home of John Madison of South Eleventh street. Progressive crokinole was the chief divertisement of the evening. These present were:

Nisses—
Elia Versey.

Alice Madison.

Marle Shelton.

Rebs Carrie.

Sarah Ober.

Eathlearn Lones.

Charming, indeed, are the newest pictures of Miss Carrie Cook, taken in Japanese Karcostume, and while on her visit to California. They have just been finished and specimens sent to the Cooks for approval. I wonder that more St. Louisans, journey-ing westward, do not allow themselves to be pictured in this delightful way as one be pictured in this delightful way, as one can hire the costumes and the appointments without being obliged to burden oneself with a lot of paraphernalia that is useless

Ned Robinson, the late Bishop Robinson's son, is back in St. Louis these holidays, hobmobbling with some old friends, notably Joe Dickson. He has lived in Boston a bit of late, but I believe is this winter taking some special work at Cornell. Just as tall and blond and handsome as ever.

"The only thing I ever had against Ned Robinson," says a bright girl, who is one of his oldest friends, "is that, years ago, when we were too small to mention, he told me with fearful and convincing emphasis that there wasn't any Santa Claus. Up to that moment I had firmly believed in the whole of it—reindeer, pack, chimney route, etectera—and he destroyed my cherished illusion with one fell swoop. I have never quite forgiven 'Handsome Ned."

SERENA LAME,

Misses—

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Bertha Gramlich of No. 1006 Hickory street entertail ed her friends with music and dancing Friday night. Those present were:

Misses—

Bertha Donawald, Ella Dawes.

Delia Wilkenson, Laura Dawes.

Messieurs—

Walter Bigot, Raibn Richmend,

Tony Hines. Chester Meler,

Otto Gramlich.

Louis Gramlich.

Mrs. Cortez A. Kitchen of No. 320 Bartimer avenue entertained the young folks'

A. C. Club of Cabanne Friday evening. A programme of recitations, vocal and instrumental music and games was followed by refreshments and dapeing, Miss Louise



Miss Mary Euston.

	and Mrs. Joseph A.	Graham.	0.6	00
	The Tyler Place Social Club was organized Wednesday evening at the residence of the Misses Brown. No. 463 Reusell avenue. The club will give a number of card parties and dances during the winter. The officers of the club are. Wood Walters, president; Edward Garner, vice president; Roger Snow, treasurer, and Clarence De Witt, secretary. The members of the club are: Misses— Irene Nall. Edward Garner, Tillie Winkleman, Roger Snow,		Luckland of Mer of honor. Those Misses— Eva Farmer, Olga Finney, Adele Conner, Alice Hyerd, Mersbegrs— Heather Ray, Eddle Conner, Dwight Palmer, Ray McKnight,	
	Bessie Brown, Tave White, Jennie Busey,	Clarence De Witt, Wood Waiters, Russell Henderson,	Reliable watches, Mermed & Jac Mrs. Charles Stickel gave a klastsch" to a number of young and friends hist week at her home Sidney street, those who gat at tables subtracing:	
	Mabe! Brown, Clara Davies, Lillian Brown, Hilda Swartz, Messieurs—	Edward Woods, Jack Lynn, Edward Davies, Charles Campbell, idan of the St. Louis		
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Miss Marie Murrell entertained a party of friends Thursday. Refreshments were served in the latter part of the evening. Those present were:

MissesTille Keener of Beriha Kempf.

Arthur J. Gottschalk gave a box party

Arthur J. Gottschalk gave a box patch Thursday night at Music Hall in honor of a party of friends from Frankfort, Ky-Those present were: Misses Alma Ochsarc, Bessle Hardia, Flora Hardin, Maud Finch, Price M. Taylor, Andrew C. Barnett and Clyde J. Peck. Mrs. Oliver Long chaperoned

The Sin Claire Informal Club held a reception Wednesday evening at the West End Hall. Those present were:

Misses—
Cora Brady,
Joy Quisenberry,
Vellie Wagoner,
Clara Krutzsch,
Gertrude Moon,
Lorrie Flint,
Gertrude Moon,
Lorrie Flint,
Gertrude Moon,
Lorrie Flint,
Gertrude Moon,
Make O'Neil,
Make O'Neil,
Besse Du Laney,
Make Universe,

Bertha Kempf. Marie Murreil, Clobelle Smith,

B. Wilson, Nellie Wagoner, Lorrie Flint, Tessle Powers, Jessle Dobyne, Mae O'Neil, Ruth Dobyne, Florence Bush, Nell Sutter.

Robert A. Kitchen. Percy Barber. Richard Dearbourn, Harry Harwood. Reliable watches, Mermod & Jaccard's,

Mrs. Charles Stickel gave a "kaffee kiatsch" to a number of young matrons and friends last week at her home. No. 3452 Sidney street, those who sat at the little tables embracing:

Misses
Nettle Stickel.
Hattle Klinge, Minute Rassfeld.
Marle Baur.
Mesdames—
Fellx Garcia, Chas. Spiegeihalter, Hugo Stifel.

Leonard F. Sheridan of the St. Louis Provident Association gave a stag smok-er to his friends Thursday evening, the occasion being his thirty-fifth birthday. After cards were finished supper was served. The guests were: Stephen Hirschberg. Clarence Tevis, Jos. B. Treinen, Chester R. Sheridan, Charles F. Edwards, William Schaab.

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Curby, on Hawthorne honevard, formerly the Bollman mansion, was the scene of a holiday-week party given by the son of the house. Clarence, on Wednesday. He is home on als holiday from the Western Military Academy, and many of his school-mates as asted. In the muste-room Professor Armstrong of the academy gave an organ recital, the mandolin quartet rendered selections, and there were duets. The guests then repaired to the ballroom, on the third floor, and danced until midnight. There were fifty present, among them being:

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ing:
MissesClara Baur,
Ruth Orthweln,
Alice Moore,
Armine Orthweln,
Persia Ponton.
Gertrude Furcell,
Loita Klemm,
Mabel Strauss,
Messieurs-

of Miss Susan Eurw
These present were:
Misres
Besale Burwell,
Susan Burwell,
Olls Lebron,
Ethel Hamilton,
Merricurs
Adam Wiest, Jr.,
Roy Tompkins,
Walter Carroll,
Ray Olds,
Arnold Cooper,

V. P. Lame, C. R. Jones, J. S. Pyatt, R. E. Karst, Dickson Fairback, F. J. Miller, W. S. Ford,

W. S. Ford,
O. F. Oherbeck, Jr.,
H. A. Woerman,
J. H. Carroll,
D. A. Fletcher,
George L. Steber,
Durward Jordan,
W. Carroll,
W. E. Yerkes,
A. Bentett,
John Laughlin,
Fred Wright,
L. I. Wilson, Joseph Steele, W. Clark, E. Wagner, H. Neun, H. Neun, A. Burke,

len Reynolds, Hohn E. Madison, Frei Veusey, William Frei A. H. Stefford, James Phillips, A. F. Phillips, Glibert P. Cutler. C. Horace Spence, Fred Powers, Charles C. Phillips, Stephen Fenwick, George Le Brell,

Mrs. S. B. Whitset catertained Prides Mrz S. B. Whitset' cutertained Friday afternoon in honor of her sampleters. Wante and Ethel, the occasion being Ethel's kirthelay. The afternoon was spent with music and games. These present were:

Misses—
Eisle Denny,
Ethel Denny,
Bessle Mendenhall,
Grace Kerr.
Katherine Ritchey,

Hortense Jones.

Ada Stoffregen, Clemmie Nulsen, Sophie Torrence, Edeanor Opei, Edna Gildehaus, Grace Simpran, Minette Endres, Elickhahn.

Messicurs—
George Maguire,
Peterson,
Jack McHenry,
Noble Bronaugh,
Al Luehrman,
August Krutzsch,
Straub,
Messicurs and Messiarres—
William Leftwich,
Giraldin,
Auton Nulsen,
George Turner,
Freen Nulsen,
Harris.
Auton Nulsen,
Giraldin,
Auton Nulsen,

Mrs. W. L. Balson gave a Christmas par-ty Friday evening, December 28, in honor of Mrs Sman Burwell of Scattle, Wash.

Erma McCready, Ella White, Eva Balson, Mary Wiest, Lewis E. Balson, Frank I. Gollepur, Paul Ligon, Olla Le Cron,

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zepp of No. 129 South
Fourteenth street celebrated the fourth anniversary of their wedding Saturday evening. December 22.
Their guests were:
Messieurs and Mesdames—
Julius Wetzel.
S. Bass.
Rud. Allendorf,
Mis es—
Nelle Newton,
Lucy Bettram,
Lucy Bettram,
Lucy Ahlendorf,
Hannah Ronnegke,
Leonora Wetzel,
Messieurs—
Joseph Steele,
Emil W. F. Leonhardt

Emil W. F. Leonhardt Eichborn, Stikers, George Siebert.

Louise Moffitt Mudge of No. 5517 Vernon averne entertained her friends with a bi-th-day party Thursday afternoon. The chil-dren amused themselves with music and

dancing.
Those present were:
Misses—
Madaline Young.
And Helen Corbet.
Zoe Provonchere.
Martha Morrison.
Emily Battle.
Alice Bell Madge.
Gertiude Beall.
Francis Tillay.
Helen Corbet.
Carol Jennings.
Mary Sutter.
Florence Fierce.
Merideth McCargo.
Gertrude Jones.
Florence Richardson.
Hadley Richardson.

The ladies of Immanuel M. E. Church, on McCausland avenue, gave a reception Priday night, in honor of Miss Willle A. Bowman, who has just returned from five years of missionary service in Brazil.

Miss Bowman was presented a mammoth sun shade. She told of her work among the reminarbaric Brazilians. The pastor of the schurch, the Reverent W. H. LaPrade, Jr., was presented a gold watch by Miss Florence Jessup, on behalf of the ladies of the church, Refreshments and a general Methodist jollification followed.

A Christmas party was given Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Blackwell evering by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Blackwell Mrs. J. King Stewart entertained her at their residence, No. 2701A Marcus ave-

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Gingys Anderson,
Lucille Moore,
Aliae Newkirk,
Eossie Brown,
Mistrod Moore,
Ruth Thompson,
Ada Pieitch,
Marie Lavate,
Masters—
Harold Brown,
Raymond Lowe,
Nelson Lavate,
Harry Pieitsch,

See the new effects in Tinsel Belts, L'Alg-ions and pointed clasps, at Mermod & Jac-card's, Broadway and Locust.

Miss Emma James of East Grand avenue entertained a unique Mother Goose tea party Friday afternoon in honor of her cousins, Misses Stella and Emma Boschert of Bunceton and Adella Prongue of St. Charles

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Kelley of No. 436 Del-mar boulevard, gave a Christin's party Friday night in honor of their son. Those present were: Misses—

Carr. Moriarty. Bogy. Leonori. Leonori, Rakewell, Von Phul, Dickson, Messieurs-Kelley, Gunnison. Sweeney. Bowes, McManus, De Voy, Bauduy, Moriarty,

Chapman, White,

Turner, Maguire, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Sloan and daughters, Misses Inez and Katherine, entertained the Shooting Star Club at their home, No. 412 West Belle place. Thursday evening. The host and hostess served a banquet with flower favors. The responses to the toests were largely devoted to reminiscences of bygone days. The guests of honor were Dortor and Mrs. John W. Mitchell of Harrisburg.

Miss Fanny Guyton gave an opera party Thursday evening. The guests occupied three boxes at Musle Hall. After the opera supper was served at the Guyton home on West Pine boulevard.

Miss Jennie Cullinane of Cook avenue gave an entertainment Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. Cling of New York. Dancing and Christmas games were enjoyed until luncheon was served.

Misses—
Anna Mundinger,
Elizabeth Murdinger,
Jennie Cullinane,
Jennie Birch,
Jennie Birch,
Lydia Dehmlow. Jennie Cullinane, Dollie Birch, Jennie Birch, Emily Mundinger,

Messieurs— Louis Chng, William Wolff, Philip Sheridan, S. Kemp, Harry Quinn, Fred Dehmtow, Charles Reader, Clarence Mills, Mart Newberry. Tom Grant, Tom Kiely, Bud Cullinane,

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Alice O'Day of Springfield, Mo., ac-companied by Miss Margaret Quinn, is spending the holidays at the Planters. Christmas night Mrs. O'Day entertained a party of six at dinner. Miss Neilie Carter of Hamilton, Mo., is visiting Miss Charlotte E. Kehrmann of No. 5848 Etzel avenue.

Miss Caroline Young of Butler, Ill., is visiting her brother, Doctor A. O. Young, of No. 341 Lawton avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kern and daugh-ters, Lucretia and Jeannette, of No. 4260 Cook avenue, are visiting in Monroe, La. Mrs. Ed Sale of No. 2949 Michigan av-enue entertained a party of friends Christ-mas Day at dinner.

Miss Jessle Leonori of No. 3905 Lafayette avenue will entertain New Year's Day, She will be assisted by Misses Byrd Jourdan, Hazel Peck, Caroline Milliken and Sallie Leonard.

Miss Olive C. Hanson of No. 1518 East Grand evenue is visiting relatives at Springfield, Ill. Miss Jeannette Desherger of No. 234 La-fayette avenue, who is engaged to Edward Sicher, will receive on Sunday afternson and evening, December 29.

The Misses Dicekhoff will re cive calle on New Year's Day from 3 to 6 o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac A. Mekeel return to New York this week after a stay of six weeks in St. Louis.

Miss Julin Reed of No. 1912 North Jefferson avenue, assisted by the Misses Nellie Chateroft and Marie Turner, will receive New Year's Day.

Mrs. Mordy of Hotel Berlin is entertaining her mother, Mrs. W. H. Scammon, of Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Skirker and family are at Hotel Berlin for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Reed of Joplin. Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pierre G. Schaefer of West Belle place.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gates of Chicago will spend New Year's in St. Louis as the guests of Mrs. Gates's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Edgar. The Gateses are en route to their winter home in Port Arthur, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin P. Burwell and daughters, Elizabeth and Susan, of Seattle, Wash, are in St. Louis for the holidays. They are visiting Mrs. Burwell's sister, Mrs. William L. Balson of No. 1269 Union boulevard.

New Year's cards and calendars at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust, 5c to \$10.

Miss S. F. Whitney, professor of physics and astronomy at Wellesley College, is spending the holidays with her uncle, Doc-tor T. Griswold Comstock.

Mrs. S. B. Whitsett of No. 625 Simpson avenue is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Elia H. Butler of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nichaus, formerly Mrs. Maude Ridenour, will be at home to their friends Tuesdays at No. 3971A Cook avenue.

Miss Frances Jones Brownell will be at home one week before returning to Vassar College.

Miss Bettle Hill, one of the instructresess at the Female College at Liberty Mo., who is here on a holiday visit, in oring enter-tained by her former classification of Wash-ington University.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Riverby, who spent Christmas with Mrs. Ritsely's patents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Woehrmans, have returned

Mr. Allen Wright of South McAlister, I. T., arrived in St. Louis yesterday and will spend several days in town, visiting friends. Mr. Wright, who is a son of the Chief of the Choctaw Nation, is a Federal Judge in his city, having received the best of college education and training. He is both a Princeton and a Columbia Law School graduate. His sisters, the Misses Wright, were at the Peebles School, in New York, with several St. Louis girls, ten years ago, Mr. Wright will be much entertained during his short visit.

Mrs. Elliot of Hotel Beers is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. Harrison Reed, and granddaughter, Vista, from Erie, Pa., dur-Mr. Louis H. Parsons and Mies Julia E. Parsons, from Flora, III., are at Hotel Beers for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Seaman of Portland, Me., are at Hotel Beers for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Benedict of Hotel Beers are entertaining Mrs. P. M. Morgan and two daughters, Miss Helen and Miss Louise, for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Adams of Arkadel-phia, Ark., are at Hotel Beers visiting Mrs. Adams's mother, Mrs. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Maloy of Sum-met, N. Y., are at Hotel Beers visiting Mrs. Maloy's sister, Miss Barney. Miss Somerville, who has been visiting her mother at Hotel Beers, has gone to Louisville for a three weeks' visit.

Doctor Ella A. Hunt has returned from a visit to Providence, R. I. EUCHRE PARTIES.

Miss Behen of No. 723 Carpenter place en-tertained the Wilokohowie Euchre Club Wednesday evening, December 26, Those present were:

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Misses

Margaret McClain,
Minnle Herweck,
Margaret Rodgers,
Elizabeth Behen,
M. Alyce Ryan,
Mersicure

Mason Jones,
R. Heraster,
O. L. Anderson,
Charles Fox,
Frizes were won by Misses Margaret
Rodgers, Elizabeth Behen,
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Rodgers, Elizabeth Behen,
M. E. Marshall,
and Harry Carr Roy Hennsler and Lawrence Ryan,
Guest's prize was won by Mr.
J. J. Lobrano.

The Clover Euchre Club was entertained

A party of young folks gathered at the

nue, for their little son, Rnymond. An enjoyable time was had by the little ones.

Those prissent were:

Misses—
Grays Anderson, Lucille Moore, Jessie Schwenker,
Alice Newkirk, May Grady.

Eleas Stahl,
Mildred Moore, Francis Wisore,
Ruth Thompson, Clara Stahl,
Ada Pleitch,
Marie Lavate,
Mastes—
Anna Gleselman played the plano.
The dining-room was decorated with
chrysanthemums, ferns and palms Lunch
was served at 4 o'clock. The gentlemen
calted in the evening. Among the guests
were:
Misses—

Mary Layton,
Anna Leahy,
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Joseph Kenney,
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Doctor John Hess,
Petal Groffman,
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Misses—
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Mrs. Jackson Johnson of Washington boulevard entertained at cards Thursday afternoon in honor of her daughter. Miss Helen Johnson, and her guest. Miss Estelle Baitey of Memphis, Tenn., and the junior class of Mary Institute. Those present were:

Missen—
May Shewell, Fay Johnston.
Virginia Cox. Mabel Wood, Helen Hay?. Plorence Raynolds, Adele Armstrong, Panile Guyton.
Stella Wade. Grace Simpson.
Natshr Adares.

Miss Elizabeth M. Lograham, who has been home for the Christmas holidays, has during party of the season at the Grand eturned to Kirksville, where she will raduate in January at the American School avenues, Friday evening, February I.

ready for business in the Carle entrance No. 308 North Sixth.

T. B. Brady, milliner, is now located and early for business in the Carleton building,

The G. T. Club gave its fourth dance Wednesday evening at its hall. Those pres-ent were: Misses-MissesElizabeth Gill, N.
Lottie Brockman, L.
Daisy Dietering, F.
Katheryn Quian, A.
Laura Lubke, M.
Birdie Schaefer, E.
Katherine Hausperger Freda Scherpe, Almona Leman, Ida Lubke,

Miss Antoinette Anderson of Westminster place is spending the holidays in Indianapolis, where she is entertaiped at a house party given by Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster.

Miss Frances Burrows of Oklahoma City. Who has been the guest of friends here for the lust month, returned home Friday.

Miss M. Felderson of Westminster Date of January in J

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Duncan of No. 4398

Miss M. Estelle Dickson of Paris, who is spending the holdlays in St. Louis has placed on view several of her paintings, including her salon picture of this year, "Isa-

Stanley Knight, Presley Allen, Willard Carmichael,

Informal dances, with the schoolgirl an college sets as guests, were given on day night by Mrs. Lucille Hopkins and Lucy Duncan, and on Saturday night by Misses Kilpatrick.

Paul Grether. Misses
Helen Nicholson,
Vida Smith,
Lällian Whitelaw,
Ella Lyons,
Ruby Poyer,
Lotta Boyer,
Perl Boyer,
Mattelin Maddox,
Lulu Tuttenberg, Lillie Vette, Plina Peper, Lillie Clark, Gene Parker. Ruby Fullertor, Mary McClung, Emelia Grant, Susie Carroll.

Gold spectacles and eyeglasses, comforting New Year's gifts for grandparents, parents, uncles and aunts. Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

Silas S. Steiner, son of Simon Steiner of No. 4218 Morgan street, has announced his engagement to Miss Jennie Summerfield, daughter of Mess Summerfield of No. 4228 Washington boulevard. Their reception days will be announced later.

Miss Aithea Somerville, who is home from Chicago University for the festal stason, gave a small luncheon on Friday for her classmate and guest, Miss Ida Furniss of Meriden, Conn. Among the guests were Miss Blake, Mrs. Charles Drummond, Miss Elizabeth Warner and Miss Edna Moss.

Mrs. Wilbur F. Boyle gave a Gibson luncheon to her neice, Miss Louise Thayer, Thursday. Covers were laid for twelve. The guests were Miss Thayer's classmates at the Mary Institute. The tables were decorated with pink roses. Each guest rereived a miniature Gibson picture as a souvenir. The guests were:

Misses—Catherine Semple. Hattle Martin of

Miss Letitla Baird gave a birthduay din-ner Thursday. The tables were decorated with holly, mistletoe and chrysanthemums. The zuests were: Mesdames—

Mary Hurley. Katherine Locke,

Locke,
La Ventura,
Misses—
Letitia Baird,
Cora Hanson,
Messieurs—
Jay Hanson,
H. Locke, All members of the Bissell family were ent-rtained Christmas Day with a dinner at the mansion at Bissell's Point, twenty-nine guests being scated at the table. The Care of the Hair

IMPERIAL HAIR The Standard Hair Color

Mrs. Douglas W. Robert gave a small luncheon Friday for ner guest. Mrs. J. B. Risque of New Mexico. Among the guests were: Miss Mitchell and her visitor. Miss La Victoir of Chicago, and Mrs. Malcolm Mucheth.

Mrs. Risque will receive with Mrs. Robert on Fridays at No. 4628 Westminster place. Dinner and breakfast carvers, new pat-terns, made to cut, at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

WEDDINGS.

Miss Leonore Scullin's engagement to Charles Clark, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Vandeventer place, announced last week, was hardly a surprise to the smart set, as Mr. Clark's devotion has been apparent all season, and Miss Scullin has scarcely, ever been seen at places of entertainment except under his escort. The marriage is set for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Schultz of No. 1591 Palm street will celebrate their golden wedding New Year's Day. They were born in Germany and were married in St. Louis fifty years ago, in the old Evengelical Lutheran Immanuel Church, Eleventh and Franklin avenue, by the Reverend J. F. Buenger.

Miss Olive Brueggeman, No. 2858 West Pine boulevard, gave a tea yesterday after-noon for her sister-in-iaw, Mrs. Albert Brueggeman, who is a recent bride. Those who served were Miss Lyda Niedringhaus, Miss Gertrude Parker, Miss Wilhelder and Miss Grace Langenberg.

Teas were given on Friday by Mrs. John Overall for her young daughter, Miss Adeie Overall; by Mrs. James Garneau for Miss Marie Garneau; by Mrs. Calvin Ford Col-lins for Miss Lenita Collins, and by Mrs. Philip Hale for Miss Nettle Hale and the senior class at Mary Institute. MUSICALS.

Mrs. Mary Polk Winn, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Branch, of No. 3739 Washington boulevard, gave a Christmas entertainment yesterday afternoon, inviting left friends to drink egg nogg and to exchange greetings of holiday senson. The house was trimmed in holly and greens, the serving table done in red. Miss Louise Chappell and Miss Anna Force served. Mrs. Winn wore a gown of cream colored crepe, relieved with touches of black velvet, acc. and sprays of holly. The music programme was as follows:

Vocal—(a) Oh! Holy Night Adams
(b) Tis All I Ask Robyn

Wr. George Carrie.

Violin Solo—Mr. Condon.

Vocal—(a) Murmuring Zephyrs Adolf Jensen
(b) My Heart Keeps Home for You.

F. Marion Ralston (accompanied by Mrs.
Ralston).

Vocal—(a) Night of Nights
(b) Polly Willia (old English)... Dr. Heroe

Duet—Bells that Are Fealing Gouned
Mr. and Mrs. Carrie, accompanied by Mr. H.

B. Maginn. The third of Mrs. Broaddus's series of monthly musicals will take place Saturday afternoon, January 5, at 3 o'clock.

SOCIETY IN MISSOURI AND **NEIGHBORING STATES.**

Special Correspondence of The Sunday Republic.
Springfield. Mo.. Dec. 28.—Mr. and Mrs.
McLain Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Headley, Miss Janie Abbott, Miss Jessie Smith.
J. D. Long and A. H. Mansfield will spend
New Year's in Aurora.

The Ladies' Saturday Club met with the
president, Mrs. Homer T. Fuller, Saturday
afternoon. The programme, under the
leadership of Mrs. Milner, was very entertaining. Mrs. Edward Kelley favored the
club with a vocal selection. Mrs. Gertrude
Clarke spoke of the South and its progress
in education since the Civil War. The social conditions were discussed by the club
and Mrs. J. R. Milner gave a very interesting paper upon the industrial life of the
South. Mrs. Wade Burden then rendered
a plano solo. A social hour followed and
refreshments were served.

Mrs. Tom Williams entertained the Social Card Club Wednesday complimentary
to Miss Maude Everett and Miss Franklia
of Orange, N. J., who are the guests of
Mrs. Richard Everett. Prizes were captured by Mrs. Charles Rule, Mrs. D. D.
Littleton, Mrs. A. F. Fine and Miss Birdie
Reber.

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Mrs. Charles Brooks entertained a number of friends at cuchre Wednesday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Frank Fellows and Charles Holland.

Miss Mathilde Ferguson entertained the Thursday Club Thursday afternoon.

Miss Mable has returned from New York